

THE MYSTERIES OF NEW YORK.

[COMMUNICATED.]

Wars, national resources, political contests, religious conventions, amusements, the Central Park, its swans, gondolas, &c., have been discussed—this letter is of the "Mysteries of New York." In the car, steamboat, saloon, parlor, at dinner, in the street, everywhere do I hear some story with relation to or an inquiry as to the meaning of those mythical words, posted, printed, and advertised wherever I go:

S. T.—1890.—X.

accompanied with a crescent and a shepherd's hook. A zealous sympathizer said it was the triumph of 1860 in granting the "National" triumph.

...said it was a Republican-Texas Democrat of 1860, gone to Texas," and "The State-Taxes of 1860 and ten Coppers," another, that they were the watchword of the secret society, like, "Sons of Tecumseh," "The Strong," or "Sons and Tricksters of 1860 U. S.," &c., &c. Well, your correspondent was ill—had been ill for a long time—in fact, his late suppers had given him a horrid dyspepsia. He read the advertisement, and of course bought a bottle of Plantation Bitters; the Bitters cured him, and on the bottle appeared those same cabalistic letters: S. T.—1850.—X. I traveled straight for 202 Broadway, introduced myself to the celebrated Dr. Drake, and was shown the elephant-tusks, S. T. and was shown a great institution it is. A six-story building on Day-Street, from cellar to garret, is occupied by a laboratory for producing this simple medicine; several vats, holding six thousand gallons each, are filled with roots, herbs and material, and then soaked in water, and the expression reserved in pure S. Croix Rum. I have seen the bags, bones and bales of Calisaya Bark, Wintergreen, and other material—and the original St. Croix Rum-punchons bearing the Customhouse brand. It seemed that medicine could here be traced out to supply a world of invalids—yet these gentlemen are unable to fill their orders for Plantation Bitters alone. I was shown many certificates of extraordinary cures effected by these Bitters. The statistics of the medicine business he presented to the last Congress in

the report of Mr. D. S. Barnes, are enormous and startling, amounting to some six million dollars annually. The proprietors of these Bitters will pay Uncle Sam near fifty thousand dollars for stamps this year! With such individual resources, Governmenticians surely stand at par, and Jefferson Davis might as well pack up and start for Jerusalem. * * *

J. H.

We are happy to reproduce the above letter and add that any ordinary case of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Nervous Affection, Sour Stomach, Loss of Appetite, Nervous Headache, Diarrhea, Sickling Weakness, Mental Despondency, &c., can be cured by the Plantation Bitters.

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W. H. HASTINGS, D. C., Nov. 4, 1892.

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Respectfully,
STILES, CHADWICK & CO.
Proprietors Willard's Hotel.

ROCHESTER, Dec. 28, 1892.

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I am, very respectfully yours,
RAY. J. S. CATHERS.

Such is the language reaching us daily. No article ever had an equal sale. Under no circumstances will the pure standard of the materials used be departed from.

These Bitters are sold by all principal druggists, grocers, hotels and restaurants. Ensure each bottle bears the fac simile of the proprietor's signature, on a steel plate label.

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S. T. 1860-X.

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Wholesale Dealers in Wines, Liquors and Fancy Gro-
ceries, &c., at Louisville, Ky., under the name and
style of HART & CLARK, in this day dissolved.

James A. Clark, who will continue the business, and
Henry Hart is entitled to collect the debts and settle
up the affairs of the late partnership.

HENRY HART,
JAMES A. CLARK.

Louisville, March 18th, 1882.

NOTICE.

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Louisville, March 12th, 1921.
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